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In re Application of: Baird et al.

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Examiner: J. Dillon, Jr.

For: Conveying Apparatus with
Piezoelectric Driver

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P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450Amendment

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

This Amendment follows applicants' filing of a Request for Continued
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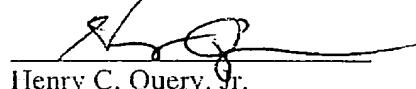
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 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues) Fee (\$): 50 Fee (\$): 25Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) Fee (\$): 200 Fee (\$): 100Multiple dependent claims Fee (\$): 360 Fee (\$): 180

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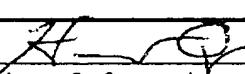
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